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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 681

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E.O. 11652: NA

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SUBJ: DEA REQUEST TO INSTALL SINGLE SIDEBAND RADIO

1. DEA ATTACHE HAS REQUESTED AMBASSADOR'S AUTHORIZATION TO INSTALL SINGLE SIDEBAND RADIO IN DEA OFFICE IN CHANCERY AND 30-FOOT ANTENNA ON ROOF. PURPOSE WOULD BE UNCLASSIFIED COMMUNICATIONS WITH DEA OFFICES IN MEXCIO CITY AND SAN JOSE AND ALONG MEXICAN BORDER(VIA PHONE PATCH THROUGH A RECEIVING STATION IN THE US). RADIO WOULD BE FASTER AND CHEAPER THAN LONG DISTANCE PHONE CALLS.

2. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S VIEWS ON USEFULNESS THIS TYPE OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION AS TO WHETHER OTHER DEA OFFICES(PARTICULARLY SAN JOSE) HAVE OR ARE PLANNING TO ACQUIRE LONG-RANGE RADIO.

3. EMBASSY HAS REQUESTED DEA ATTACHE TO FIND OUT WHETHER LOW HORIZONTAL ANTENNAL CAN BE USED INSTEAD OF HIGHLY VISIBLE 30-FOOT VERTICAL ANTENNA. EITHER VERSION WOULD BE A PROBLEM TO LOCATE ON ALREADY CROWDED ROOF.

4. IF APPROVAL FOR RADIO IS GIVEN, EMBASSY WILL SEEK FREQUENCY ALLOCATION FROM GOG. GOG RESPONSE IS UNLIKELY TO BE RAPID AND MAY NOT BE FAVORABLE.

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